FISCAL MEMORANDUM HB 1876 – SB 2091

June 4, 2007

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS (008620, 009620, 009772):

Amendment 008620 deletes the language of the original bill and instead changes various definitions relative to geologists and the practice of geology, revises the licensing requirements for geologists and establishes a temporary Advisory Committee for Geology. Amendment 009620 requires continuing education for license renewal. Amendment 009772 deletes the requirement of continuing education for license renewal.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Revenues - \$144,400 Biennially \$3,700 One-Time Increase State Expenditures - \$72,200 Recurring \$3,700 One-Time

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:

Increase State Revenues - \$7,500 One-Time Increase State Expenditures - \$7,500 One-Time

Assumptions applied to amendments:

- A one-time increase in state expenditures for computer system changes and rulemaking hearings.
- Revenues must be collected in an amount to cover expenditures in accordance with TCA 4-29-121.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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